

STORES TO CLOSE FOR RED CROSS PARADE MONDAY

Merchants' Association Requests Closure Between 3 and 4 O'Clock. —Parade Starts Promptly at 3:10 O'Clock, Followed by Band Concert and Addresses at Park.

In order that the business people, and the teachers and children in the local schools may participate in the big parade Monday afternoon in honor of "The Greatest Mother in the World," the American Red Cross, the Merchants' association has issued a request that its members close their places of business between the hours of 3 and 4 p. m. on that day, and the schools will march in the parade in a body.

The parade which, like the annual circus poster, promises to be "bigger, better, grander than ever," starts promptly at 3:10 p. m. from the corner of Main street and Oakdale avenue, moving east on Main street to Riverside, north on Riverside to 6th street, west on 6th to Bartlett, south on Bartlett to Main street, countermarching on Main street west to the bandstand in the city park.

The parade will be followed immediately by a band concert at the city park and by an address in the interest of the Red Cross drive by a Canadian soldier who has seen actual service in France.

The various units of the parade will assemble not later than 3 o'clock at the places designated below. The assembly points for the respective units are as follows:

Order of Units.

Main street from Oakdale to Laurel: Ladies Horse Guards, Band, Red Cross drive committee, G. A. R., Spanish War Vets.

Laurel, from Main street to 10th street: Public schools.

Mistletoe, from Main to 8th street: Ministerial association, Japanese colony, Elks, Girls' Honor Guard.

Mistletoe, from 8th street to 10th: University club, Woodmen of the World, Red Cross local chapter, Home Guard, Boy Scouts.

Newtown street from Main to 8th street: Daughters of American Revolution, A. W. Walker Auto company, Pierson-Triecklor auto company, Valley Garage, C. E. Gates Auto company, Power Auto company, W. R. De Lay company.

Newtown street from 8th to 10th street: Privately owned decorated cars.

Boy Scouts on Duty.

Any others desiring to participate will be assigned places if they will notify Paul M. Janney before noon Monday, or Parade Marshal J. W. Lawton at the parade. Boy scouts will be on duty in all the streets to direct participants to their assembly places. All automobiles will approach their positions from 10th street to avoid confusion.

Mayor Gates has signed an order prohibiting the parking of automobiles on Main street within the line of march from 2:30 p. m. until after the parade.

NEW MINISTER PLEASES AUDIENCE

An audience which taxed the seating capacity of St. Mark's hall witnessed the performance last night of "The New Minister," given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society of the First Methodist church. It was a comic or burlesque affair, dealing with the selection, reception and induction into the church of a new minister.

The parts were all taken by local talent and each was interpreted in a manner that deserves special mention. The large audience heartily enjoyed the play and showed their appreciation by applause and cheers.

At the close, Miss French sang "The U. S. Flag."

The production was directed by Mrs. H. K. Miller while Forrest C. Edmondson was in charge of the musical numbers.

The instrumental music was a valuable adjunct, with Miss Elsie Brooks at the piano, and Bliss being directing the orchestra.

DIED.

RISSUE—Funeral services over the late William Earl Rissue were held at Phoenix Friday. Burial was in the Phoenix cemetery. Wm. Earl Rissue was the son of Wm. Rissue who for many years was a resident of Phoenix but who now resides at Lebanon, Ore. The young man was killed Saturday, May 11th, in a saw-mill accident at Astoria, Ore.

COUNTY VOTES WITH STATE AT FRIDAY ELECTION

Successful Candidates On Both Tickets Win County—Gardner and Purdin Win Nominations for County Judge, Owens for Commissioner, Florey for Clerk and Perl Coroner.

Jackson county republicans give McNary a two to one endorsement over Stanfield at Friday's primaries and a comfortable margin to Withycombe in a split field. Democrats voted strongly for West as senator and Pierce for governor. The vote was one of the lightest east in years, there being little interest and only about 30 per cent of the registered vote cast.

Coke carried the county for supreme court justice, Williams for republican central committeeman. County Clerk G. A. Gardner is renominated for county judge, James Owens for commissioner, C. E. Terrill for sheriff, Chaucey Florey for clerk and J. A. Perl for coroner.

The democrats nominated Hornbrook for national committeeman, C. Purdin for county judge. The balance of the ticket was written in and will not be known until the official count.

With complete returns from 36 out of 60 precincts in Jackson county, including Medford and Ashland, the vote stands as follows:

Republican Totals.

For national committeeman, Dennis 585, Williams 797.

For senator, McNary 1,253, Stanfield 562.

For governor, Anderson 223, Harlev 55, Moser, 391, Olson 456, Simpson 319, Withycombe 573.

For county judge, Gardner 952, Allen 73, Leever, 372, Taylor 355.

For commissioner, Brown 382, Earhart 279, Medynski 293, Owens 820.

For sheriff, Sandry, 369, Terrill 865, Walker 610.

For clerk, Florey 1,142, Thomson 837.

For coroner, Perl 942, Weeks 861.

Democratic Results.

For committeeman, Hornbrook 296, Morrow 147.

For senator, King 99, West 397.

For governor, Pierce 275, Starkweather 170.

For county judge, Borden 215, Davis 80, Purdin 393.

It is not likely that missing precincts will change the results.

WAUKESHA, Wis., May 18.—Dr. David Roberts took the witness stand today as the accuser of Grace Lusk, on trial charged with the murder of his wife.

AT THE RIALTO THEATER SUNDAY



"Españita," and the cowboy comedian who will appear in addition to Bryant Washburn in "Twenty-one" at the Rialto tomorrow. They will also appear Monday with the Lee Kiddies in "American Buds."

LEAGUE DECLARES NATION'S FIRST DUTY TO DEFEAT HUNS

PHILADELPHIA, May 18.—Assembled in a "Win the War" conference, the League to Enforce Peace today adopted a platform in which it declared that "until Germany is overcome the paramount and pressing duty of the United States and the other free nations with which this country is allied, is to fight with unconquerable determination for a victorious peace."

The league reaffirmed its pledge to make the world safe by the defeat of Germany and German militarism, and to keep the world safe by a league of nations.

"Unstinted support" of the president and to all others in authority, "in all measures for victory over the military power of the kaiser," was also pledged.

Governors and former governors representing thirty-four states at a conference in Independence hall, held in conjunction with the convention, adopted a resolution pledging themselves to carry the war to a victorious end, to resist all compromise and to repudiate all offers of peace that will leave Germany and her allies "unchastened and unsubdued."

"The issue is sharply defined," the resolution says. "The free nations must by arms enforce a freeman's peace or liberty will perish from the earth."

Former President Taft presided at

the governors' conference. Mr. Taft was among the speakers at the regular session of the convention. Touching on delays in machine gun, airplane and shipbuilding, he said that things are now speeding up and that the time was not far distant when America's war machine would startle the world.

WILSON'S GREETING TO FRENCH PEOPLE

PARIS, May 18.—On the eve of the great German offensive, says an official note issued today, President Wilson, anxious to address a message to the French people, has asked one of his personal friends, James Kerney, (director of the Franco-American committee on public information) to convey the following to them:

"The people of the United States are happy to find themselves in the brotherhood of arms with the people of France in a war in which every man who loves right ought to be proud to take part."

DUBLIN, May 17.—A proclamation issued tonight says a German plot in Ireland has been discovered. In the proclamation the viceroy calls upon all loyal Irishmen to defeat the conspiracy.

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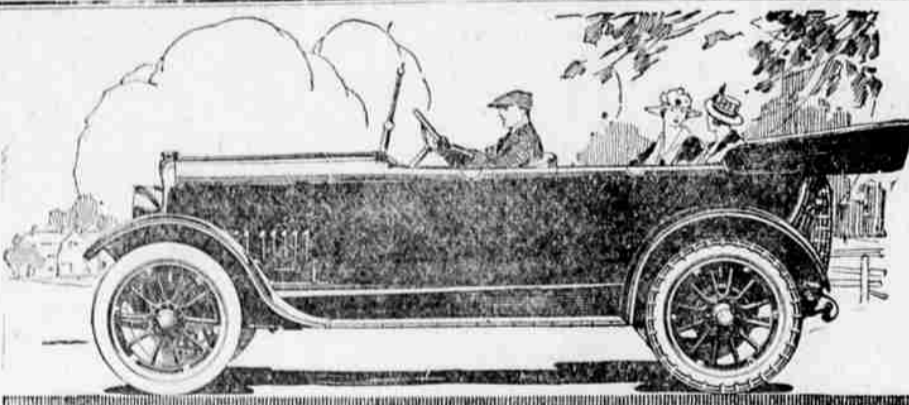
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RALPH G. JENNINGS
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